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Adams, G: Burton. Civilization during the middle ages, especially in relation to modern civilization. N. Y., C: Scribner's Sons, 1894. c. 7+463 p. O. cl., $2.50. [54

Author is professor of history in Yale University. The object of his book is "to show how the foundations of our civilization were laid in the past, and how its chief elements were introduced, and to depict its progressive development until it had assumed its most characteristic modern features." In other words, it is to present as clear a view as possible of what is the most important thing for all introductory study at least, and for the permanent intellectual furniture of most—the orderly and organic growth of our civilization.

***Addis**, W: E., *and* Arnold, T: Catholic dictionary, containing some account of the doctrine, discipline, rites, ceremonies, councils, and religious orders of the Catholic Church. *New ed.* N. Y., Benziger Bros., 1894. 8+961 p. 8°, cl., $5. [55

***American** state reports. Souvenir volume. A sel. of cases and notes of general value and authority, sel., rep., and annot. by A. C. Freeman, [et al.] taken from the 1st 32 vs. of Am. state reports to illustrate the salient characteristics of that series. San Francisco, Bancroft-Whitney Co., 1894. c. 22 p. (the rest has original p. of v. from which cases are selected.) hf. shp., *gratis.* [56

***Appleton's** handbook of American winter resorts. *New ed.* for 1893–94. N. Y., Appleton, 1894. 168 p. il. 12°, pap., 50 c. [57

***Atlantic** reporter, v. 26; cont. all the decisions of the supreme courts of Me., N. H., Vt., R. I., Ct., and Pa.; court of errors and appeals, court of chancery, and supreme and prerogative courts of N. J.; court of errors and appeals, and court of chancery of Del.; and court of appeals of Md. *Permanent ed.* Mar. 22-Sept. 13, 1893. With tables of Atlantic cases published in v. 62, Conn. reports; 75, Md. reports; 49, N. J. equity reports; 54, N. J. law reports; 148, 149, and 153–155, Pa. state reports; 17, R. I. reports; 64, Vt. reports. A table of statutes cited and construed is given in the index. St. Paul, West Pub. Co., 1894. c. 29+1235 p. O. (National reporter system, state ser.) shp., $4. [58

***Baker**, W: Spohn. Early sketches of George Washington; reprinted with biographical and bibliographical notes. Phil., J. B. Lippincott Co., 1894. [c. '93.] 150 p. por. O. cl., $2. [59

Beard, W: H. Action in art. N. Y., Cassell Pub. Co., [1894.] c. '93. 8+349 p. il. O. cl., $2. [60

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***Bierce**, Ambrose. Can such things be? A collection of short stories. N. Y., Cassell Pub Co., 1894. c. 4+320 p. 12°, cl., 75 c.; pap., 50 c. [63

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***Boyesen**, Hjalmar Hjorth. A commentary on the writings of Henrik Ibsen. N. Y., Macmillan & Co., 1894. 317 p. 8°, cl., $2. [66

***Budge**, E. A. Wallis. A catalogue of the Egyptian collection in the Fitz William Museum, Cambridge. N. Y., Macmillan & Co., 1894. 138 p. 8°, cl., *net*, $3. [67

***Bulwer-Lytton**, E: Rob., [*Lord* Lytton, "Owen Meredith," *pseud.*] Lucile. *New ed.* N. Y., Longmans, Green & Co., 1894. 15+333 p. 12°, cl., $3. [68

***Bulwer-Lytton**, E: Rob. [*Lord* Lytton, "Owen Meredith," *pseud.*] The wanderer. *New ed.* N. Y., Longmans, Green & Co., 1894. 22+434 p. 8°, cl., $3. [69

***Burns**, Rob. Scott, *ed.* The illustrated drawing-book for the use of schools, students, and artisans. *New ed., rev., corr. and enl.* N. Y., Ward, Lock & Bowden, Ltd, 1894. 186 p. il. and diagrams, 8°, cl., 75 c. [70

***Burton**, Rob. The anatomy of melancholy; ed. by Rev. A. R. Shilleto, with an introd. by A. H. Bullen. *The Temple lib. ed.* N. Y., Macmillan & Co., 1894. 3 v., 8°, cl., *per set*, $12.50. [71

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Busbey, T. A., *ed. and comp.* The biographical directory of the railway officials of America. *Ed. of* 1893. Chic., The Railway Age and Northwestern Railroader, 1893 [1894.] 418 p. O. cl., $3. [72

Gives concisely in alphabetical order the important facts in the careers of four thousand railway officials.

***Chaplin**, Stewart. Lecture notes on the New York law of wills, for use in connection with Chaplin on wills. N. Y., Baker, Voorhis & Co., 1894. c. 64 p. O. pap., $1. [73

Chauncey, Shelton, (*pseud.*) The Greek Madonna. N. Y., G: W. Dillingham, 1894. c. '93. 4-315 p. D. cl., $1; pap., 50 c. [74

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Cuthell, Edith E. Only a guard-room dog. N. Y., Cassell Pub. Co., [1894.] c. 6+223 p. il. D. cl., $1.25. [75

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***Donkin**, Bryan, *jr.* Text-book on gas, oil, and air engines, or internal combustion motors without boiler. Phil., J. B. Lippincott Co., 1894. 20+419 p. il. O. cl., $6.50. [76

***Dryden**, J: The satires of Dryden; ed. with memoir, introd., and notes, by J: Churton Collins. N. Y., Macmillan & Co., 1894. 137 p. 16°, (Macmillan's English classics.) cl., *net*, 40 c. [77

Du Croquet. C: P. College preparatory French grammar. N. Y., W: R. Jenkins, 1893 [1894.] c. '93. 284 p. D. hf. leath., $1.25. [78

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Duke, E. T., *M.D.* Handbook on disinfection and methods for the prevention of contagious diseases. Cumberland, Md., Harry K. Duke & Co., 1894. c. 2+56 p. T. flex. cl., 25 c. [79

Eddy, R:, *D.D., ed.* The Universalist register: giving statistics of the Universalist church and other denominational information, etc., for 1894; no. 59. Bost., Universalist Pub. House, 1894. 112 p. D. *net*, pap., 25 c. [80

Edwards, Emilie. A royal heiress; or, a youthful error. Chic., E. A. Weeks & Co., [1894.] c. 3+216 p. por. il. D. (The Lucile ser , no. 2.) pap., 50 c. [81

An American love-tale.

***Federal** reporter, v. 56. Cases argued and determined in the circuit courts of appeals and circuit and district courts of the U. S. *Permanent ed.* July-Oct., 1893. With tables of federal reporter cases published in v. 3, C. C. A. reports; 4, U. S. appeals reports. A table of statutes cited and construed is given in the index. St. Paul, West Pub. Co., 1894. c. 38+1096 p. O. shp., $5. [82

Flint, Rob. Historical philosophy in France and French Belgium and Switzerland. N. Y., C: Scribner's Sons, 1894. c. 27+706 p. O. cl., $4. [83

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***Hubbell**, J. H., *ed. and comp.* Hubbell's legal directory for lawyers and business men, (etc.,) a synopsis of the collection laws of each state, (etc.,) 1894, (rev. to Oct. 1, 1893.) N. Y., The Hubbell Legal Directory Co., [1894.] 1230+272 p. O. shp., $5. [85

***Illinois.** *Appellate cts.* Reports of cases, v. 46. Cont. cases in which opinions were filed in the 1st district in Oct., Nov., and Dec., 1892, and in Jan., 1893; and in the 3d district in Apr., May, and July, 1892; rep. by Edwin Burritt Smith. Chic., Callaghan & Co., 1894. 712 p. O. shp., $3.75. [86

***Jefferies**, R: Wood magic: a fable. *New ed.* N. Y., Longmans, Green & Co., 1894. 6+379 p. 8°, (Longmans' silver lib.) cl., $1.25. [87

Johnes, Winifred. Miss Gwynne, bachelor: a novel. N. Y., G: W. Dillingham, 1894. 4-285 p. D. pap., 50 c. [88

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***Lamb**, C:, ["Elia," *pseud.*] Charles Lamb's specimens of English dramatic poets who lived about the time of Shakespeare, including the extracts from the Garrick plays, now first ed. anew by Israel Gallancz. N. Y., Macmillan & Co., 1894. 2 v., 8°, *limited ed.*, cl., *net*, $15. [90

***Lang**, Andrew. St. Andrew's; with eight full-page pl. by T. Hodge and 24 il. N. Y., Longmans, Green & Co., 1894. 16+348 p. 8°, *cl.*, $5. [91

***Langmaid**, J., *and* Gaisford, H., *comps.* Elementary lessons in steam machinery and the marine steam-engine; with a short

description of the construction of a battleship. *New ed., rev. and enl.* with il. N. Y., Macmillan & Co., 1894. 267 p. 8°, (Britannia ser.) cl., *net*, $2. [92

***Lee**, Sidney, *ed.* Dictionary of national biography. V. 37, Masquier-Millying. N. Y., Macmillan & Co., 1894. 453 p. 8°, cl., $3.75. [93

Longfellow, H: Wadsworth. Evangeline; with biography of author critical opinions and explanatory notes. N. Y., Maynard, Merrill & Co., [1894.] c. '93. 110 p. por. il. S. (Maynard's English classic ser., no. 125-126.) cl., 24 c. [94

Lummis, C: F. The Spanish pioneers. Chic., A. C. McClurg & Co., 1894. c. '93. 5-292 p. por. il. D. cl., $1.50. [95

For young readers; written to inspire them with the same enthusiasm for the Spanish pioneers as the author possesses. Believing justice had never been rendered these heroes, he, through much labor and research, obtained the true stories of their adventures, discoveries, etc., their first attempts to educate the Indians, and other deeds of heroism and kindness, which he relates after first giving the story of Columbus.

***Lupton**, Arnold. Mining: an elementary treatise on the getting of minerals; with 596 figures and il. N. Y., Longmans, Green & Co., 1894. 24+519 p. 12°, cl., *net*, $3. [96

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***Malory**, *Sir* T: Le morte D'Arthur; introd. by Prof. Rhys; designs by Aubrey Beardsley. V. 1. Pt. 5. N. Y., Macmillan & Co., 1894. 455 p. 4°, pap., $1. [99

Mann, E: C., *M.D.* A treatise on the medical jurisprudence of insanity. Alb., N. Y., Matthew Bender, 1893 [1894.] c. '93. 25+420 p. O. shp., $4.25. [100

Marshall, A. F. Comedy of English Protestantism, in three acts. N. Y., Benziger Bros., 1894. c. 238 p. 12°, cl., $1. [101

***Michigan.** *Supreme ct.* Reports from June 1 to July 26, 1893; W: D. Fuller, st. rep., v. 96. Chic., Callaghan & Co., 1894. c. 55+707 p. O. shp., $3.50. [102

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***Moodie**, W:, *comp.* Tools for teachers: a collection of anecdotes, illustrations, legends, etc., for teachers of Sunday-schools, Bible classes, and boys' brigades. N. Y., T: Whittaker, [1894.] 11+488 p. 12° cl., $2. [104

Munhall, *Rev.* L. W., *ed. and comp.* Anti-higher criticism; or, testimony to the infallibility of the Bible, by Howard Osgood, D.D., W. H: Green, D.D., W: G. Moorehead, D.D., [*and others.*] N. Y., Hunt & Eaton, 1894. c. '93. 3+354 p. O. cl., $1.50. [105

Addresses delivered before the Sixth Annual Interdenominational Seaside Bible Conference, held at Asbury Park, N. J., Aug. 11-21, 1893. The editor decided to publish them, as they are from some of the most famous divines of the day, "because of the audacious and persistent assaults made upon the integrity of the Bible by many pastors, editors, theological professors, and other educators belonging to orthodox churches, and because of the impudent assumption of these gentlemen that scholarship is almost wholly with them in their methods, work, and conclusions."

Muret, E:, *ed.* Encyclopædic English-German and German-English dictionary. *Unabridged ed.* In about 20 pts. Pt. 10, English-German. Ful-Haz. N. Y., International News Co., 1894. 937-1040 p. O. pap., *subs.*, 50 c. [106

***New York** supplement, v. 24; cont. the decisions of the supreme, superior, and lower courts of record of New York state. *Permanent ed.* Aug. 3-Oct. 19, 1893. With tables of N. Y. supp. cases in v. 2 and 3, misc. reports; 60 and 61, N. Y. superior court reports. A table of statutes cited and construed is given in the index. St. Paul, West Pub. Co., 1894. c. 15+1228 p. O. (National reporter system.) shp., $4. [107

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Payne, F. M. How to pronounce 10,000 difficult words: an authoritative handbook of words in common use: correct spelling, correct pronunciation, with an exercise in pronunciation and extended list of words often incorrectly pronounced. N. Y., Excelsior Pub. House, 1893 [1894.] c. '93. 5+116 p. T. rus., 50 c. [110

Payne, F. M. Law at a glance: an epitome of the business and domestic laws of the several states of the Union and those of the general government of the United States. N. Y., Excelsior Pub. Co., [1894.] c. 318 p. D. hf. cf., $1. [111

As far as practicable it has been the aim of the author to lay down rules of law of every-day use and importance without the use of technical expressions and in such a manner as to be readily understood and practically applied by persons who have given no attention to the study of the law.

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***Ramsay**, W. W. Sky wonders. Bost., Lee & Shepard, 1893 [1894.] c. '93. 66 p. nar. 12°, cl., 75 c. [113

Rand, Katharine E. The childhood of an affinity. Bost., Arena Pub. Co., 1893 [1894.] c. '93. 5+304 p. D. (Arena library ser., no. 21.) pap., 50 c. [114

Traces in story form an affection between a boy and girl, with its various changes—and their final marriage, after their school days. The author says: "My intention is to present as clearly as possible a picture of inner child-life as I know it to exist, and particularly to dwell upon the relations between boys and girls."

***Ransom**, C: C., *M.D.* Diseases of the skin: a manual for students and practitioners. Phil., Lea Bros. & Co., 1894. 201 p. il. 12°, 12°, cl., $1. [115

Rickett, J. Compton. The quickening of Caliban: a modern story of evolution. N. Y., Cassell Pub. Co., [1894.] c. '93. 2+258 p. D. cl., $1. [116

The Caliban of the story is a Zulu, exhibited in London as a man-ape or "the missing link." He enlists the sympathy both of a young girl, the daughter of an African missionary, whose mother was a half-caste, and a learned Cambridge professor. Whether "the quickening of Caliban" comes from love or knowledge is left to the reader to decide.

Ross, Albert, [*pseud.* for Linn Boyd Porter.] Young Miss Giddy. N. Y., G: W. Dillingham, 1893 [1894.] c. '93. 4+343 p. D. (The Albatross novels.) pap., 50 c. [117

"Young Miss Giddy" gives the author an opportunity to describe a pleasant journey through Florida, New Orleans at Mardi Gras time, Texas, and Mexico. It also enables him to answer a woman writer who, in a Boston newspaper, recently expressed the belief that young girls inclined to misbehave would do so in spite of chaperonage. One of the heroines of the story is the daughter of a millionaire, the other of a carpenter. The story opens in New York City.

Russell, W. Clark. The emigrant ship. N. Y., Cassell Pub. Co., [1894.] c. '93. 3+348 p. D. cl., $1. [118

Charles Morgan becomes the mate of a merchant ship sailing from Bristol ostensibly for Cape Town: he discovers that it has no cargo, and that the captain and owner are a pair of scoundrels who intend to scuttle the ship for the insurance; he shows them that he knows their plans and he is quickly put ashore on a desert island. After being rescued and having many adventures, he falls in with a ship which by a series of mishaps has lost its officers and has no one to navigate it, and takes command of it. It is an emigrant ship with one hundred girls aboard bound for Australia, and the crew had decided to land on an uninhabited island and form a colony, having persuaded some of the girls to join them. Here begins again a series of wonderful adventures.

Salis, *Mrs.* Harriet A. de. New things to eat, and how to cook them: fancy dishes and relishes not to be found in ordinary cookbooks. N. Y., G: W. Dillingham, 1894. 3-64 p. D. cl., 50 c. [119

Savory dishes at the present time being so fashionable, and novelties in them being so much inquired for, the author has been persuaded to publish this small book of recipes, many of which are new, and a few original.

Salt, H. S, Richard Jefferies: a study. N. Y., Macmillan & Co., 1894. 3+128 p. por. S. cl., 90 c. [120

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Sanderson, Edgar. History of England and the British empire: a record of constitutional, naval, military, political, and literary events from B.C. 55 to A.D. 1890; with maps and tables of genealogy. N. Y., F: Warne & Co., 1893 [1894.] 35+1098 p. O. cl., $3. [121

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Schwatka, F: In the land of cave and cliff dwellers. N. Y., Cassell Pub. Co., [1894.] c. '93. 9+385 p. il. D. cl., $1.25. [122

Records in a popular way the adventures, researches, and other doings of two expeditions sent into northern Mexico in the years 1889 and 1890, the patron of the first being *America* and of the other *The Herald*, both Chicago publications. The story is told, however, as if it were a continuous undertaking, to make it more succinct and interesting. Information is given of the cave and cliff dwellers still to be found in Mexico.

Seavy, Manson. Practical business book-keeping by double entry: for grammar, high, and commercial schools, academies, and for self-instruction. Bost., D. C. Heath & Co., 1893 [1894.] c. '93. 8+238 p. il. O. hf. leath., $1.55. [123

***Smith**, Margaret Vowell. The governors of Virginia: a brief review of the discovery of the continent of North America, with a history of the executives of the colony and of the commonwealth of Virginia. Wash., D. C., W. H. Lowdermilk & Co., 1894. 457 p. il. 8°, cl., $2.50. [124

***Squire**, J. E: The hygienic prevention of consumption. Phil., J. B. Lippincott Co., 1893 [1894.] 12+194 p. D. cl., $2. [125

Taylor, H. C. Chatfield. An American peeress. Chic., A. C. McClurg & Co., 1894. c. '93. 3-293 p. D. cl., $1. [126

A young Englishman, after working for six years in a wholesale boot and shoe house in Chicago, thinks himself very fortunate to be in receipt of a salary of three thousand dollars and to have won the love of the daughter of the head of the firm. On the eve of his marriage he reads in an English paper of the sudden death of three relatives, which makes him heir to a peerage. The story deals with his wife's advent in London society, the admiration she excites, an estrangement that comes between them, and her method of winning back her husband's love.

***Thudichum**, J. L. W., *M.D.* Treatise on wines, their origin, nature, and varieties; with practical directions for viticulture and vinification. N. Y., Macmillan & Co., 1894. 387 p. il. 8°, cl., $1.75. [127

***Walford**, *Mrs.* L. B. The one good guest. N. Y., Longmans, Green & Co., 1894. 8+330 p. 12°, (Longmans' pap. lib., no. 2.) pap., 50 c. [128

Waliszewski, R. The romance of an empress, Catharine II. of Russia; from the French. N. Y., Appleton, 1894. 4+458 p. por. O. cl., $1. [129

This romance is founded strictly on history. Documents published by the Russian Imperial Society and other materials scattered in obscure Russian periodicals are the main foundations for the author's work. The life of Queen Catharine embraced the years from 1729 to 1794, one of the most interesting historical periods of the world. The author is fearless and gives most interesting details of Russian life. The book has been forbidden in Russia.

***Wawn**, W: T. The South Sea Islanders and the Queensland labour trade: a record of voyages and experiences in the western Pacific, from 1875 to 1891; il. by the author. N. Y., Macmillan & Co., 1894. 440 p. 8°, cl., $4. [130

***Williams**, *Sir* E: Vaughan. A treatise on the law of executors and administrators. 9th Eng. ed. by Sir Roland L. Vaughan Williams. Am. notes by Jos. F. Randolph and W: Talcott. Jersey City, F: D. Linn & Co., 1893. c. 3 v., 26+886; 6+864; 4+594+89 p. O. shp., $18. [131

***Wood**, Edith Elmer, (*pseud.*) Her provincial cousin: a story of Brittany. N. Y., Cassell Pub. Co., 1894. c. 148 p. nar. 12°, (The unknown lib.) cl., 50 c. [132

World's Columbian Exposition, Chicago, 1893. World's Congress Auxiliary. Addresses delivered before the World's Railway Congress, held in Chicago, June 19-23,

1893. Official report. Chic., The Railway Age and Northwestern Railroader, 1893 [1894.] 4+265 p. O. cl., $3. [133

The subjects of the addresses are: Railway law and legislation; Railway management and operation; Railway employees; Railway history and development.

World's Columbian Exposition. The vanishing city: a photographic encyclopædia of the World's Columbian Exposition; containing a concise history and 224 views—comprising all main buildings, all state and territorial buildings, all foreign buildings, interiors, statuary, lagoons, grounds, and the Midway Plaisance. *Subs. ed.* Chic., Laird & Lee, 1893 [1894.] c. '93. unp. il. obl. S. cl., $1; pap., 50 c. [134

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***Young**, Francis Chilton, *ed.* Metal working for amateurs. In 3 pts. Pt. 1, Brazing and soldering, by G: Edwinson. Pt. 2, Practical gas-fitting, by E. W. Denniss. Pt. 3, Brass casting at home, by F. J. Durrance; il. with numerous diagrams, explanatory sketches, and working drawings. N. Y., Ward, Lock & Bowden, Ltd., 1894. 110 p. 8°, cl., 40 c. [136

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BYLAND'S BOOK BAZAAR.

CLEVELAND, O.

CAN any one inform us if there are any copies of Whittier's "Hazel Blossoms" with a date on the title-page of 1874, and of Whittier's "In the War-Time" with a date of 1863 on the title?

BURROWS BROTHERS.

NOTES ON AUTHORS.

GEORG EBERS has nearly ready a new novel entitled "Cleopatra."

GEORGE MOORE has written a study of the life and works of Zola, which appears in the January number of the *English Illustrated Magazine*. "Esther Waters" is to appear in January. Mr. Moore has largely rewritten that part of "Esther Waters" which has already been given to the public.

"PRINCESS" JOHNSON, of the Mohawk tribe of Canada, has taken Boston by storm with recitals of her poems. "She is," so says the New York *Sun*, "perhaps the most unique figure in the literary world of this country. She is a Mohawk, the daughter of Owanonsyshon ('the man with a big house'), the well-known chief of the Six Nations. Her father was a cultivated man, and her mother came from an English family.'

FRANCIS PARKMAN, the historian, left in the keeping of the Massachusetts Historical Society a brief autobiography, which will be included in the biography of Parkman which is to be prepared by Dr. Ellis. Mr. Parkman left an estate valued at $195,950. This does not include a summer estate at New Castle, N. H., copyrights, stereotype plates, and contracts, these being of uncertain value. The real estate is valued at $55,000, and the personal property at $140,950.

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Publishers are requested to furnish title-page proofs and advance information of books forthcoming, both for entry in the lists and for descriptive mention. An early copy of each book published should be forwarded, as it is of the utmost importance that the entries of books be made as promptly and as perfectly as possible. In many cases booksellers depend on the WEEKLY solely for their information. The Record of New Publications of THE PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY is the material of "The American Catalogue" and so forms the basis of all trade bibliography in the United States.

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A NOTE IN SEASON.

IN reading the reports of the various trades, the closing of mills and factories, the stagnation in new undertakings, and retrenchment generally during the past year, we realize that the book trade has reason to congratulate itself upon its undiminished activity. Amid all the discouraging surroundings and commercial disaster it has accomplished a year's work as a producer, at least, that surpasses all its previous records. The American publishers have issued more books during 1893 than in any previous year, the books recorded by us being over two hundred more than in 1892, and the titles recorded by the Librarian of Congress exceeding the record of the previous year by over 3000. Detailed statistics of the activity of the book trade will be given as usual in our Annual Summary Number, which will be published in the last week of this month.

This issue, by the way, has come to be regarded by the bookseller and librarian as one of the most important published by our office. It contains, as we need not remind those acquainted with the previous issues of the number, not only a complete list of the books recorded by us during the past year, by author, title, and subject, but a comprehensive summary of the leading books in every department as well as statistics of the book production of England and France, and the lists of the leading publishers' A more complete and compact working tool for the book trade we venture to say is not published in any other country. We need therefore hardly point out the advantages to the publishers—especially the lesser known—to be represented by full lists of their books of 1893 in its advertising pages. Every book represented in our lists should also have its place, accompanied if possible by a concise descriptive note, in our advertising pages. Such amplification of the hint given by our list and summary would prove useful to the bookseller in looking up or ordering the book, and must redound to the profit of the publisher concerned. The larger houses do not need this reminder, and the smaller ones will also be able to dispense with it when once they have recognized the force of our suggestion.

To make the measure of misery of the foreign exhibitors at Chicago complete came the disastrous fire on the 8th inst., destroying the Liberal Arts Building, in which were stored, among others, a large part of the French book exhibit, the German University exhibits, and others, nearly all of which are probably ruined, if not by fire, by water. Fortunately the more expensive and valuable books and exhibits had long ago been removed. Yet the loss undoubtedly will still be a serious one, and the disagreeable impression on the minds of the foreign exhibitors will be lasting. It is to be deplored, under the circumstances, that a more liberal policy should not have been adopted by the customs authorities at Chicago, so that our guests from abroad, who so generously contributed to the success of the Exposition, might have packed up or disposed of their exhibits, and returned to their homes within a month after the fair closed. As it was, many of the foreign exhibitors experienced considerably more annoyance in placing the gifts made to a government department or public institution than they should have had in disposing of goods sold during the exhibition.

THE D. LOTHROP CO. FAILURE.

THE D. LOTHROP CO. failed on January 5, with estimated liabilities of about $225,000. The obligations are considerably over $200,000, and may amount to $250,000. The assignment was voluntary, for the benefit of creditors, Louis D. Brandeis being the assignee. While the failure was unexpected, it did not come as a great surprise to the book trade of Boston, as it has for some time been an open secret that the house was having an uphill fight. Soon after Mr. Lothrop's death two years ago the retail business was discontinued and the large store on Washington Street, opposite Bromfield, was sold out. Then *Wide Awake*, the most popular and successful of their children's magazines, was disposed of to the Century Co., and consolidated with *St. Nicholas*. Recently the affairs of the company are said to have reached a point where it was necessary either to make an assignment or to borrow money with which to continue the busi-

ness. Several large notes falling due at this time, and the inability of the company to meet them, was the immediate cause of the failure. Mr. Brandeis, through his law-partner, G. H. Nutter, stated that the assignment was not forced in the slightest respect; probably an extension could have been secured from creditors and the crisis tided over for a time, but the assignment would have had to come ultimately, and it was thought better to make it now than later.

The assignment is attributed to two causes—the death of Daniel Lothrop, the head of the house, in 1892, since which time the affairs of the concern have not had the same efficient management, and the existing business depression, which seriously affected the firm. The liabilities are definitely stated as between $200,000 and $250,000; but no specific estimate has so far been made as to the assets. The stock is large and includes, besides books on hand, plates, presses, etc., but its value is somewhat problematical.

The corporation of the D. Lothrop Company was organized by D. Lothrop & Co., and was controlled by the late Daniel Lothrop and his brothers John and James. Since Mr. Lothrop's death, his widow, who as "Margaret Sidney" is well known as a writer of children's stories, has been practically at the head of affairs. It is understood that D. Lothrop & Co. control the popular "Pansy" books and some other of the more important publications. The house has for about thirty years been prominently identified with American juvenile literature. It had its beginning in 1850, when Mr. Lothrop bought the stock of books held by Elijah Wadleigh at Dover, N. H., enlarged the business, and developed it successfully; but it was not fairly launched in the trade until the close of the war, when Mr. Lothrop established himself in Boston, and gradually built up a large and thriving publishing business. Later he issued *Wide Awake*, a magazine for young people, which soon attained a very large circulation; then came *Babyland*, *Our Little Men and Women*, and *The Pansy*.

It is probable that the magazines *Pansy*, *Babyland*, and the other serials will not be interrupted in their publication, but will be continued under the authority of the assignee. There has as yet been no definite statement as to whether there will ultimately be insolvency proceedings or whether the business will be reorganized and continued, though the latter is more than probable.

EXHIBIT OF AMERICAN WOOD-CUTS IN BERLIN.

MR. H. C. JOES, president of the Art Department of the Chicago's World's Fair, has co-operated with Regierungs-Rath Lippmann, the director of the Royal Copperplate Museum, to bring about an exhibition of the work of the Society of American Wood-Engravers in the German capital. Mr. J. P. Davis, the president of the society, has undertaken to have the wood-engravings that were on exhibition at the fair, which include some of the finest work of recent years, shipped to Germany, where they will be placed in one of the rooms of the National Gallery at Berlin, and made free to the public. There will also be included some of the reproductions of paintings in other forms of the reproductive arts, which will add to the interest of the exhibit of the wood-engravings, an art in which America has reached almost perfection.

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MAYNARD, MERRILL & CO. VS. WILLIAM BEVERLEY HARISON.

MAYNARD, MERRILL & Co. on Jan. 4 began suit in the U. S. Circuit Court, New York, against William Beverley Harison, of 59 Fifth Avenue, for violation of the copyright law. The violation of copyright charged is as remarkable as it is novel, and the case certainly deserves to be recorded among the curiosities of copyright. Maynard, Merrill & Co. claim that on July 23, 1891, Alonzo Reed copyrighted a work on the elementary study of the English language, the exclusive right to publish and sell the same being vested in Effingham Maynard & Co. The latter firm was soon after succeeded by Maynard, Merrill & Co., to whom the right was transferred. In the spring of 1893 Maynard, Merrill & Co. state that they began the printing of the book and delivered the sheets, covers, etc., to George W. Alexander, of 108 W. 18th Street, for binding. On June 21 Mr. Alexander's bindery was destroyed by fire and its contents badly damaged. It is alleged that the débris was passed upon as worthless by the insurance adjusters, and Mr. Alexander thereupon engaged some Italian junkmen to remove it. The latter, it is claimed by the plaintiffs, collected some of the sheets of Mr. Reed's books and some of the bound copies, the impaired and soiled sheets being bound into volumes much like the originals. In conclusion Maynard, Merrill & Co. say that since June, 1893, W. B. Harison has sold and exposed for sale a number of copies of the book, made up from damaged and soiled sheets, in violation of the original copyright, and they ask that Mr. Harison be required to appear and testify as to how many books he may have sold, or may have on hand; whether he has put the printed leaves in book form; whether he has any of the sheets now on hand; and upon a number of other points.

The defendant denies that he has taken sheets and bound them into volumes much like the original, and claims that he simply took the damaged bound books, that were on the market through the connivance of the plaintiffs, and had them repaired. We understand that the defendant advised the complainants at once, upon receipt of notice that they considered their rights infringed upon, that he was willing to adjust matters satisfactorily if he were in the wrong, and that he was willing to submit the matter to a referee and abide by the latter's decision.

THE LIABILITY OF A PUBLIC LIBRARY FOR CIRCULATING LIBELS.

A RATHER curious libel action against the authorities of the British Museum Reading-Room will shortly be tried in London, in which very eminent counsel have been engaged. A pamphlet was printed in America which contained an alleged libel upon a well-known American lady, who has taken a very prominent part in political matters and in social reform. The authorities of the British Museum obtained a copy of this pamphlet, and added it, we understand, to the library, so that it was accessible to the public which uses the museum's reading-room. The plaintiff considers that in doing so the authorities have made themselves liable for uttering or circulating the alleged libel, and it is upon these grounds that she is bringing her action.

COMMUNICATIONS.

EXTENSION OF THE SATURDAY HALF HOLIDAY.

NEW YORK, January 8, 1894.

To the Editor of The Publishers' Weekly.

DEAR SIR: The extension of the Saturday half holiday is of vital importance to those engaged in the book and stationery trade.

It is the prevailing opinion of the employers and those holding responsible positions in our large houses that the Saturday half holiday might be extended from March to November.

Such houses as Macmillan & Co., and Longmans, Green & Co. extend fully that time, and such houses as Charles Scribner's Sons, Dodd, Mead & Co., and the house I am with, G. P. Putnam's Sons, grant from May and June to September inclusive, and might be easily induced to make the extension provided other houses could be brought into line.

Will you kindly take up the question by securing the views of those in the trade and have granted this great boon for recreation and consumption of literature? P. N. JOHNSTON.

IN RE THE PUBLICATION OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE PARLIAMENT OF RELIGIONS.

NEW YORK CITY, Jan. 4, 1893.

To the Editor of The Publishers' Weekly.

DEAR SIR: Referring to your notice of the various editions of the Proceedings of the Parliament of Religions in the issue of THE PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY for December 23, 1893, we desire to explain that the work edited by Rev. Dr. John Henry Barrows is the only one officially authorized by the Columbian Exposition. The addresses published in the two volumes are, with only a few exceptions, from the original MSS. and not from stenographic reports. Of the 165 speakers, 149 have declared that no person is authorized to publish their papers except the Parliament Publishing Co. Dr. Barrows gave very nearly three years of his time to the promotion of the Parliament of Religions and is in possession of many facts not known to any one else. Such facts referred to are letters of acceptance, letters of objection to the Parliament of Religions, and other correspondence that came to him personally as chairman of the Religious Congress. Very few of these were made public, and, of course, are published only in Dr. Barrows' work. Therefore we do not think it is far from the truth to say that Dr. Barrows' work is the most reliable, the most authentic, and the authorized edition of the World's Parliament of Religions. We do not claim that no one else has a right to issue an account of the proceedings of the World's Parliament of Religions, but we believe it just to the public that they know the above facts.

It is not our object to do any other publisher an injustice. J. A. HILL & CO.,

Eastern Agents of the Parliament Pub. Co.

OBITUARY.

EDWARD SPENCER MEAD.

EDWARD SPENCER MEAD, of the firm of Dodd, Mead & Co., died on the 10th inst., at his home in Southampton, Long Island. Ten days ago he was seized with the grippe, and that, with Bright's disease, caused his death. Mr. Mead was born in New York City forty-seven years ago. His father died when the son was in his infancy, and he was brought up in the family of his uncle, Robert Hoe, the printing-press manufacturer. After obtaining his early education in New York, he entered Yale University, from which institution he was graduated in the class of '69. Soon afterward he married the daughter of John S. C. Abbott, the historian. In 1870 he and Mr. Frank H. Dodd bought out the publishing business of M. W. Dodd, the latter's father. Mr. Mead had charge of the larger part of the literary department while Mr. Dodd looked after the manufacturing end. In addition to his other duties, Mr. Mead found time to write several books, and also translated some works of French authors. Mr. Mead belonged to the University, Century, and Tuxedo clubs, the Yale Alumni Association, and was a trustee of the Metropolitan Museum of Art. Formerly he belonged to the Players' Club. In Southampton he belonged to the Meadow and Golf clubs. He was a member of the Episcopal church at Southampton. His wife survives him. There are no children.

OBITUARY NOTES.

W. W. HUTCHINSON, formerly a bookseller in Appleton, Wis., died at Riverside, Ill., last month.

ANTON WITTER, of the firm of C. Witter, established in St. Louis, Mo., in 1850, and one of the best known among the Western German booksellers, died on the 20th ult.

JOHN PARKER, one of the oldest booksellers of St. Louis, Mo., died recently at St. Luke's Hospital in that city. He was eighty-two years old and went to St. Louis from Cecil County, Maryland, where he was born.

FRANCIS B. MOHUN, for many years a business man in Washington, D. C., died suddenly on the 18th ult. Mr. Mohun with his brother opened a book-store on Brentano's corner in 1879, and continued in business there until 1883. He then organized the Riggs Fire Insurance Co. He was secretary of the company at the time of his death.

FRANÇOIS BOUSSOD.—A few months ago we regretted to announce the death of Goupil, the founder of the celebrated business now known as Boussod & Valadon. M. François Boussod, for forty years M. Goupil's untiring fellow-worker, has now also died, after a long and painful illness, at the age of sixty-seven. One of M. Boussod's sons married a daughter of the painter Gérôme, who himself had married a daughter of Goupil, so that the families were closely related by marriage. M. René Valadon, the surviving member of the firm, is also a son-in-law of M. Boussod. At the time of M. Goupil's death we gave the history of the house.

ELIZABETH P. PEABODY died on the 3d inst., at her home in Jamaica Plain, Mass., in her 94th year. She was one of the advanced educators of the century. Miss Peabody succeeded Margaret Fuller as teacher of history in Mr. Alcott's school in Boston. She was prominent among the agitators for the abolition of slavery and for the higher education of women. At the age of 60 she learned the Polish language because of her interest in the struggles of Poland for liberty. Her literary productions include "Æsthetic Papers," "Crimes of the House of Austria," "The Polish-American System of Chronology," "Reminiscences of Dr. Channing," etc. Elizabeth's sister Sophia married Nathaniel Hawthorne, the novelist, and another sister, Mary, became the wife of Horace Mann, who founded the school for deaf and dumb.

BUSINESS NOTES.

ATHENS, TENN.—Walter Bell has been succeeded in books and stationery by Miss Mamie Chessnutt.

BOSTON, MASS.—D. Lothrop Co. have made an assignment. Particulars are given elsewhere in this issue.

BOSTON, MASS.—It is likely that Ticknor & Co. will retire from the publishing business for the present. They have already disposed of *The Architect*, and are making arrangements to dispose of their other books.

CHICAGO, ILL.—C. M. Barnes is endeavoring to form the C. M. Barnes Company to publish school-books. The capital will be $100,000. The office will be at 75 Wabash Avenue.

DES MOINES, IA.—Redhead, Norton, Lathrop & Co., who since 1852 as Redhead, Wellslager, and other modifications of the firm-name, have been doing a large and prosperous book and stationery business, have made an assignment. The assets are said to be about $100,000; the liabilities are not known. The firm filed a mortgage of $27,000 before the assignment, making Mr. Norton assignee. The preferred creditors are the Des Moines National Bank, $20,000, and Anna S. Redhead, $7000.

FRAMINGHAM, MASS.—The Lake View Publishing Company, of South Framingham, Mass., has made a voluntary assignment. Charles J. McPherson, editor of the South Framingham *Tribune*, is the treasurer of the company. E. M. McPherson, of 53 State Street, has been appointed trustee.

FULTON, KY.—Hall & Norman, booksellers, have dissolved partnership.

HAILEY, IND.—Stewart Brothers, booksellers, have sold out.

LINCOLN, NEB.—Clason & Fletcher are to be succeeded in the book and stationery business by W. E. Burlingim, of Omaha.

MACON, GA.—J. W. Barke & Co., who in 1865 succeeded Barke, Boykin & Co., who established themselves in 1860, have made an assignment. They were well and favorably known as publishers and booksellers, and their misfortunes will be heard with regret by many of their friends in the trade.

MEMPHIS, TENN.—Isaacs & Co., booksellers, have made an assignment.

NEW ORLEANS, LA.—F. D. Van Valkenburgh, bookseller and stationer, formerly of 106 Camp Street, is now at 9 Chartres street, near Canal.

NEW ORLEANS, LA.—Geo. F. Wharton, having found his store on Carondelet Street too small for the accommodation of his customers, has opened a branch on Canal Street, where he has a fine display of toys and fancy articles in celluloid and aluminium.

NEW YORK CITY.—Baker & Taylor Co. will remove this month to 5 and 7 East 16th Street, to the quarters until recently occupied by the United States Book Co.

NEW YORK CITY.—The directors of the Diossy Law-Book Company, of 231 Broadway, have applied to the Supreme Court for a dissolution of the company, and the order to show cause has been set down for April 19. The company was incorporated three years ago, with a capital stock of $50,000, all but seventy-five shares of the stock being held by Charlotte M. Diossy. It was stated on the application that the company had discontinued business, disposed of its assets, and settled with the creditors. The business will be continued as a partnership.

NEW YORK CITY.—The assignee of the late firm of Saalfield & Fitch is offering to compromise at 50 cents on the dollar. First two payments to be made in cash Feb. 1, 1894 and April 1, 1894, balance payable in two notes due Oct. 1, 1894 and Jan. 1, 1895.

NEW YORK CITY.—Julia A. Sadlier has retired from the publishing and bookselling firm of D. & J. Sadlier & Co.

RIVERSIDE, CAL.—A receiver has been appointed for J. M. Johnson, bookseller.

ST. JOSEPH, MO.—Henry C. Kiefer has opened a book and stationery store.

SANDUSKY, O.—H. W. Curth, bookseller, is dead.

SPRINGFIELD, MASS.—S. B. Fisher, bookseller, had his stock badly damaged by fire and water. Insured.

WASHINGTON, IA.—J. D. Glasgow & Lytle have purchased the book and stationery business of A. A. Rodman.

LITERARY AND TRADE NOTES.

F. W. FARNELL, 238 Fourth Avenue, N. Y., has published a copyrighted comical song and dance, entitled "We Are Never Young But Once," the words being by Frank Lee Farnell, the music by Virginia R. Coxe.

GINN & CO. will publish in April "The Gate to the Anabasis," by Clarence W. Gleason, of the Roxbury Latin School, Boston, which is intended to do for beginners in Greek what "The Gate to Cæsar" has done for beginners in Latin.

A. D. WELD-FRENCH, of Boston, purposes issuing in an edition of 300 copies his "Notes on the Surnames of Francus, Franceis, French, etc., in Scotland," with an account of the Frenchies of Thorndykes and a discussion of the family connection with the Stuart kings.

ROBERTS BROTHERS will publish soon "Memoirs of Two Young Married Women," by Balzac, translated by Miss Wormeley; "The Aim of Life: plain talks to young men and women," by the Rev. Philip Stafford Moxom; and "Allegretto," a volume of poems by Gertrude Hall.

LEE & SHEPARD are about to publish a new book by Henry Wood under the title of "The Political Economy of Natural Law." Its purpose is to outline a political economy which is practical and natural rather than theoretical and artificial, being a study of inherent laws and principles.

JOEL MUNSELL'S SONS, Albany, N. Y., announce "The Pioneers of New France in New England, or the French incitement of the Indians against the English settlements, with documentary French evidence and illustrations," by James Phinney Baxter, president of the Maine Historical Society.

THOMAS WHITTAKER will publish this week two books of more than ordinary interest, the one being entitled "The Ascent of Faith, or, grounds of certainty in science and religion," by Alexander J. Harrison, who is widely known in this field of thought; the other, the Bishop of Ripon's (Dr. W. Boyd Carpenter) studies on the influence of Christ in character under the title of "The Son of Man Among the Sons of Men."

WM. GEORGE BRUCE, Milwaukee, Wis., will publish presently a unique work entitled "Great Educational Exhibits." The illustrations for the book are from sketches made by a special artist at the Liberal Arts department last summer and will be practically complete. When it is considered that the exhibits represent in reality the labor of ten million children, as well as the present educational status of the United States, it may be said that the volume will prove an interesting one.

THE son of Henry Vizetelly, the engraver, war correspondent, and English translator of French novels, whose death at Farnham, England, was announced last week, now lives in New York and is an editorial assistant on the Standard Dictionary, which Funk & Wagnalls Co. publish. Mr. Frank H. Vizetelly says that his father was abandoned by his counsel, and had no other alternative than to plead guilty at the trial, which resulted in his imprisonment for three months for having translated the works of Zola.

THE UNIVERSITY PRESS at Cambridge has undertaken to publish a complete translation of the Pali Játaka or "Buddha Birth-stories," which are supposed to be the oldest collection of folk-lore stories in existence. The first volume is now in the press, and has been prepared by Mr. R. Chalmers, late of Oriel College, Oxford, a former pupil of Prof. Rhys Davids. It will contain the forty stories given in Prof. Rhys Davids' discontinued translation, but will also give the remainder of the first volume of Prof. Fausböll's edition of the Pali text.

THE general financial depression does not seem to affect materially the sales of new books by popular authors. Mrs. Burnett's late book, "The One I Knew the Best of All," published by the Scribners during November, is already in its 11th thousand. Mrs. Earle's "Customs and Fashions in Old New England," issued by the same firm, has reached its third edition within three months, while Robert Grant's "Opinions of a Philosopher" and Robert Louis Stevenson's "David Balfour," both recently published, have obtained a sale of six and eight thousand copies respectively.

AT the meeting of the trustees of the Stationers' Board of Trade, held on the 9th inst., the following officers were elected: President, Charles T. Dillingham; first vice-president, Henry C. Bainbridge; second vice-president, Charles McLoughlin; treasurer, Alexander Agar; and secretary, Wm. W. Davis. We believe this is the first time in years that a bookseller has been chosen president of the Board, and we therefore congratulate our fellow-tradesman on his unanimous election. It is an honor justly conferred, because few men in the Board have worked more faithfully and disinterestedly in its behalf, in committee and as first vice-president, than Mr. Dillingham. The late president, Mr. Frank Squier, has been honored by an appointment as park commissioner by Mayor Schieren, of Brooklyn.

FUNK & WAGNALLS CO. have just ready in their series of *Columbian Historical Novels* "Humbled Pride: a story of the Mexican War," by John R. Musick, with illustrations by F. A. Carter. This volume supplies a readable and interesting account of historical events pertaining to the administration of Presidents John Quincy Adams, Andrew Jackson, Martin Van Buren, William H. Harrison, John Tyler, Jas. K. Polk, Zachary Taylor, Millard Fillmore, and Franklin Pierce. They have also just ready "Our New Hymnal, for general use and special services," by Philip Phillips and his son Philip. The hymnal is designed for use in every Christian congregation, and has a concordance index whereby any pastor or leader can find and select, at a glance, the right subject or sentiments needed for any religious occasion.

BUXTON & SKINNER, St. Louis, Mo., issued for the holidays a limited edition of an original, in fact unique book, entitled "The Documents in Evidence." The story was told by Henry M. Blossom, Jr., in a series of clippings from the *Harvard Graduate's Magazine*, *Town Topics*, St. Louis *Life*, and letters from the three characters in the story. The clippings were pasted in the centre of the page marked with red or blue pencil; the letters are excellent fac-similes of those supposed to have been written on office paper with printed letter-heading, club paper with device of flag, and fashionable papeterie with monogram. These were carefully pasted in, and the whole bound in a stiff cover with a design consisting of addressed envelopes in which not even the detail of a bona-fide cancelled stamp was overlooked, bills of florist and confectionery, etc. The whole idea was cleverly and most artistically carried out and reflected great credit on author and printer.

HOUGHTON, MIFFLIN & CO. will publish on the 24th inst. Bret Harte's new volume, entitled "A Protegée of Jack Hamlin's, and other stories;" "The Rousing of Mrs. Potter, and other stories," in which the author, Miss Gertrude Smith, collects several of the bright short stories which she has printed in *The Century* and other periodicals; "A Symphony of the Spirit," a selection of some three-score poems of faith and uplifting thought from the works of Wordsworth, Tennyson, Emerson, Browning, Longfellow, Lowell, and others, for the consolation of those who have lost dear friends, edited by George S. Merriam; new editions of "Jones on Chattel Mortgages," "Jones on Liens," and "Jones' Forms in Conveyancing;" the second edition of "Lloyd on Building;" and Gov. Bell's work on "The Bench and Bar of New Hampshire," already noted. They have just ready in the *Riverside Paper Series* Bret Harte's "A Sappho of Green Springs, and other stories."

MACMILLAN & CO. have just ready Prof. H. H. Boyesen's long-promised commentary on Ibsen's plays. They announce for early publication a new work by Lewis Carroll. It will be a continuation of "Sylvie and Bruno"—a book which, although it may never hope to rival his immortal "Alice" in the popular favor, appeals even more, perhaps, to older people, as it rambles along in its own engaging fashion, mingling the most charming of nonsense-verses and the profoundest of metaphysics, without even a pretence at consistency or continuity. Diana Clifford Kimber will soon publish through Macmillan & Co. a text-book on "Anatomy and Physiology for Nurses," in connection with Louise Darche. Miss Kimber's experience as assistant superintendent in both the New York City and the Illinois Training School for Nurses has led her to feel the need of such a manual and to undertake the work. It is designed to fill a middle place between the text-book written for medical students and that for use of children in schools. The subject is presented in a scientific manner, but the technicalities which discourage the average student have been, so far as possible, avoided.

TERMS OF ADVERTISING

Under the heading "Books Wanted," ***subscribers only are entitled to a free insertion of five lines for books out of print, exclusive of address (in any issue except special numbers), to an extent not exceeding 100 lines a year. If more than five lines are sent, the excess is at 10 cents per line, and amount should be enclosed.*** *Bids for current books and such as may be easily had from the publishers, and repeated matter, as well as all advertisements from non-subscribers, must be paid for at the rate of* 10 *cents per line.*

Under the heading "Books for Sale," the charge to subscribers and non-subscribers is 10 *cents per line for each insertion. No deduction for repeated matter.*

Under the heading "Books for Exchange," the charge is 10 *cents per line. No deduction for standing matter.*

Under the heading "Situations Wanted," subscribers are entitled to one free insertion of five lines. For repeated matter and advertisements of non-subscribers the charge is 10 *cents per line.*

All other small advertisements will be charged at the uniform rate of 10 *cents per line. Eight words may be reckoned to the line.*

Parties with whom we have no accounts must pay in advance, otherwise no notice will be taken of their communications.

Parties desiring to receive answers to their advertisements through this office must either call for them or enclose postage stamps with their orders for the insertion of such advertisements. In all cases we must have the full address of advertisers as a guarantee of good faith.

Houses that are willing to deal only on a cash-on-delivery basis will find it to their advantage to put after their firm-name the word [*Cash*].

☞ ***Write your wants plainly and on one side of the sheet only. Illegibly-written "wants" will be considered as "not having been received."***

BOOKS WANTED.

☞ *In answering, please state edition, condition, and price, including postage or express charges.*

AMERICAN PRESS CO., BALTIMORE, MD. [*Cash.*]
American Naval Biography, by John Frost.

ANTIQUARIAN BOOK-STORE, OMAHA, NEB.
Arabella Stuart, by G. P. R. James.
Discussion Between T. D. Gregg and P. Maguire, in June, 1838, at Dublin.

F. H. BAER, 224 BANK ST., CLEVELAND, O. [*Cash.*]
W. S. Gilbert, Bab Ballads, 1st ed.
Longfellow, Early Works, 1st ed.
Poe, Early Works, 1st ed.
Lang, 1st English ed.
Austin Dobson, 1st English ed.

ROBERT BEALL, 495 PA. AVE., WASHINGTON, D. C.
Spaulding's History of the Currency.
Banker's Magazine, N. Y., Oct., 1874.
5 copies of the Financial Reform Almanac for 1894.

BOOK EXCHANGE, 610 5TH ST., SAN DIEGO, CAL.
Ward Family, by A. H. Warden.

THE BOOK-SHOP, 113-115 STATE ST., CHICAGO, ILL.
Temple Bar, v. 44.
Hollick, Outlines of Anatomy and Physiology.
Some Chinese Ghosts.

THE BOOK-SHOP, 160 PUBLIC SQ., CLEVELAND, O.
Ranke's Germany During the Reformation, cheap American ed., 5 copies.
Graham's Short-Hand Dictionary, second-hand.

BOWERS & LOY, 111 NASSAU ST., N. Y. [*Cash.*]
Babbitt's Principles of Light and Color. Will pay good price.
Barbour's Hist. Coll. of Conn.
Hillard's Life of Jeremiah Mason.

BRENTANO'S, 1015 PA. AVE., WASHINGTON, D. C. [*Cash.*]
Dixon, On Surnames. Boston, 1857.
House and Clan of Mackay.
Patronymica Britannica.
Lady Alice, Huntington. Appleton.
Thompson's Hoosier Mosaics.

BRENTANO'S, 31 UNION SQUARE, WEST, N. Y. [*Cash.*]
Laus Veneris, Eng. ed.
Key to Allen and Greenough's Latin Composition.
Genealogical Notes of Maryland Families, il. by Coats of Arms, etc. L. Buckley Thomas, Balt., 1877.
James, On Decoration.
Rubaiyat, tr. by Justin McCarthy.
Burke's Federal Finances.
Harper's Young People, 1892.
Little Minister, large pap.
Shakespeare Comedies, v. 1 of the 8-v. ed. J. S. Virtue & Co.
Dumas, éd. de luxe, L., B. & Co. ed., v. 1.
Shandon Bells, cl. or mor.
Mrs. Eliz. Kinney's Poems. H. & H., 1876.
Disenchantment of Philosophy.
Hitchcock's Analysis of Bible.
Intentions, Oscar Wilde.
Cleveland's Essays on Forest Planting on the Great Plains.
Skinner's On the Ass and Mule.
Mortal Antipathy. } Riverside ed., green cl.
Over the Tea-Cups. }
De Metz, On Palmistry.
Mme. de Mersac, by Norris.
Tweedie, On the Arabian Horse.
Rennel Rodd's Poems, Lipp. ed.
Stranded Ship, Davis.
Ricker's Hist. of Harlem.
Bohemian Days, by Townsend.
Symonds' Italian Renaissance.
Haliburton's Letters (Sam Slick.)
Facilities for Genealogical Research in the Registries of Probate in Boston and London, by Nassam. Boston, 1884.

THE BURROWS BROS. CO., 23 EUCLID AVE., CLEVELAND, O
Whittlesey's History of Cleveland.
Wyoming, Pa., any books on.
Bradstreet's Expedition.
Wemyss' Chronicle of the American Stage. 1852.

J. W. CADBY, 582 B'WAY, ALBANY, N. Y.
Forum, Nov., Dec., 1886.
Cosmopolitan Mag., Nov., Dec., 1888.
St. Nicholas Mag., Jan., 1877.
Pop. Science Monthly, Supplements no. 8, 9, 13.
Hist. Mag. and *Notes and Q.*, June, Sept., Oct., 1863; Jan., April, May, June, '66.
Knickerbocker Mag., 1834, '35, '63, '64. Good price paid for these.
Whig Almanac, 1851.

CASE LIBRARY, CLEVELAND, O.
U. S. Consular Reports, nos. 3, 23, 24½, 36, 37, 39, 41, 44, 49, 56.
Meehan's Native Flowers and Ferns.
Chapman's Schools and Schoolmasters.
Literary Remains of J. G. C. Brainard. 1832.
Forsythe's History of Trial by Jury.
Tocqueville's Old Régime.
Rose's Modern Machine-Shop Practice.
Bunsen's Egypt's Place in History, v. 5.

C. N. CASPAR, 437 E. WATER ST., MILWAUKEE, WIS.
Modern Christianity. Boston, 1875.
Bible Myths. N. Y., 1886.
Bennett, Champion of the Church. N. Y., 1885.
Beadley, Life in Utah.
Five Years of Theosophy. Lond., 1876.

CATHCART, CLELAND & CO., 6 E. WASHINGTON ST., INDIANAPOLIS, IND. [*Cash.*]
Louis XIV., by Saint Simon.

A. H. CLAPP, 32 MAIDEN LANE, ALBANY, N. Y. [*Cash.*]
1 doz. Puzzled, leaflet. A. D. F. R. & Co.
Daily Life of a Christian Child.
Moore's Gothic Architecture.
3 copies Whittaker's English Almanac, 1894, cl.
Calderon's Poems.
Living Church Quarterly, Jan., 1894.
Twenty Sermons, Brooks. Dutton.
Thoughts from Brooks, White.
Ruy Blas, Hugo.

ROBERT CLARKE & CO., CINCINNATI, O.
Lalor's Cyclopædia of Political Science, P. Economy, and P. History of U. S., 3 v., cl.
Roulett's Interest Tables.
Brander Matthews, In Partnership.

W. B. CLARKE & CO., 340 WASHINGTON ST., BOSTON, MASS.
Lionel Lincoln. } By Cooper, Darley plates, Townsend ed.
Red Rover. }
Spy. }
Watson's Annals of Philadelphia.

CRANSTON & CURTS, 57 WASH'N ST., CHICAGO, ILL.
Alger, Critical History of the Doctrine of a Future Life.

DES FORGES & CO., 98 WISCONSIN ST., MILWAUKEE, WIS.
Capt. Fracasse, by Gautier, Holt ed.

BOOKS WANTED.—Continued.

DODD, MEAD & CO., 5 E. 19TH ST., N. Y.
Colonial Days, pub. by Dodd, Mead & Co.
Marie Antoinette, large pap. Dodd, Mead & Co., 1893.
Mary's Meadow, The Story of a Short Life, Lob Lie by the Fire, all by Mrs. Ewing, E. & J. B. Young's English ed.

G. DUNN & CO., 22 W. 6TH ST., ST. PAUL, MINN.
J. S. C. Abbott's History of Napoleon Bonaparte, v. 2. Harper Bros., 1855.
Geological Survey of Minn., v. 3. 1874.
Old *Scribner's Monthly*, v. 4, no. 2.
Frank Forester's Manual for Sportsmen.
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